

Application No.: 10/626,288
Amdt. dated: 3/14/2005
Response to Office Action of 12/20/2004

REMARKS

The specification has been amended to conform to the second embodiment shown in Fig. 2 and the description thereof.

Claims 1-7 and 9-16 have been allowed. Claim 8 has been rewritten to overcome the rejection under Section 112 and includes all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Applicant respectfully submits that all claims 1-16 are now allowable.

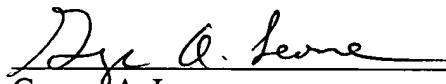
Drawings have been corrected to add legends to functional blocks as pointed out by the Examiner. Applicant has submitted a full set of formal drawings including amendments as required. Approval of the replacement set of formal drawings is respectfully requested.

Applicants have made a diligent effort to place the claims in condition for allowance. However, should there remain unresolved issues that require adverse action, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner telephone George A. Leone, Applicants' Attorney at 763-767-2762 so that such issues may be resolved as expeditiously as possible.

For these reasons, and in view of the above amendments, this application is now considered to be in condition for allowance and such action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Attachments

Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached sheets of drawings include changes to Fig. 1 and Fig. 2 and replace the original sheets including Fig. 1 and Fig 2.

In Figure 1, previously unlabeled functional block 28 has now been labeled with the legend "DISPLAY." The remaining parts of the drawing are not functional blocks, but represent objects that have rectangular, oval or other geometric forms (for example, shield 32 and platform 10) and so do not require legends.

In Figure 2, previously unlabeled block functional 128 has now been labeled with the legend "DISPLAY." The remaining parts of the drawing are not functional blocks, but represent objects that have rectangular, oval or other geometric forms (for example, shield 132 and platform 110) and so do not require legends.

A full set of replacement formal drawings is also attached under attached **DRAWING TRANSMITTAL LETTER**. Applicant requests that the replacement formal drawings replace the drawings originally submitted as they are higher quality drawings that will make better reproductions.

Attachement: Replacement sheets for Fig. 1 and Fig. 2.

2 Annotated sheets showing changes.

Full set of 4 replacement sheets for Figs. 1 – 5.

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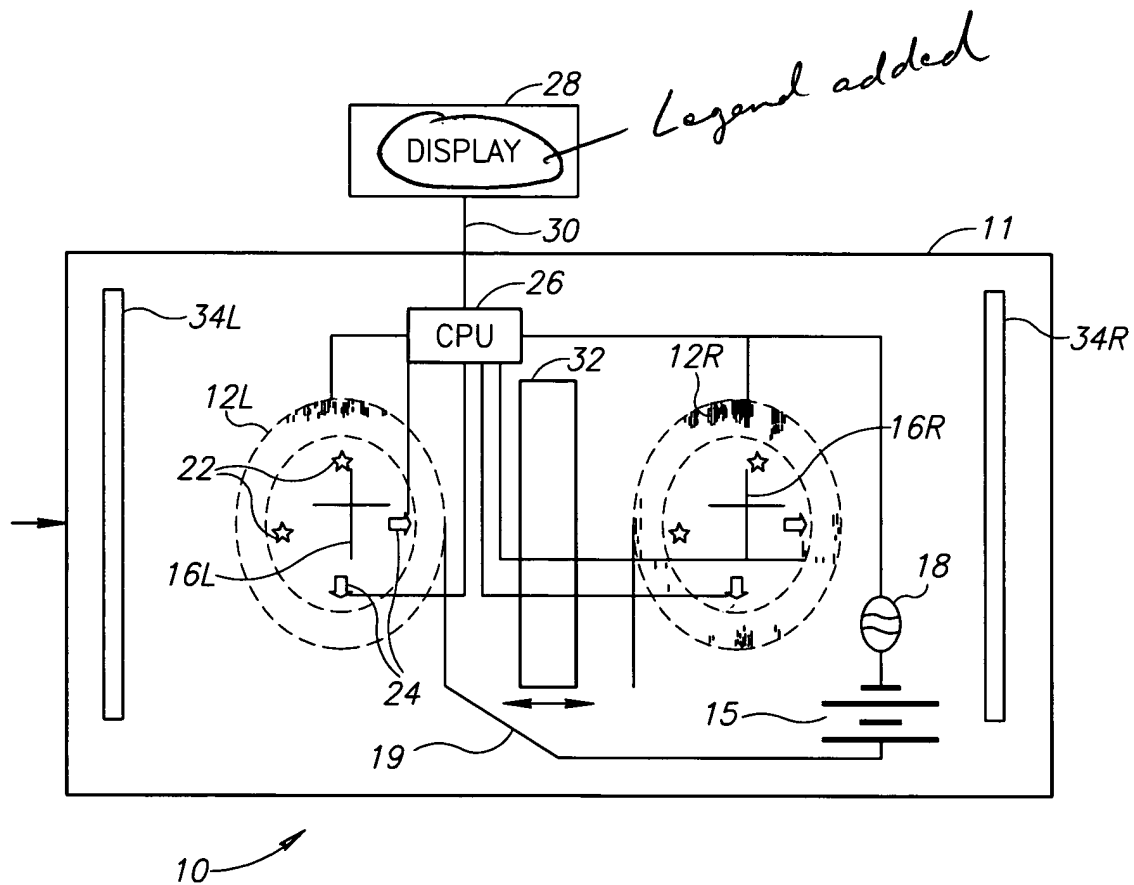


FIG.1

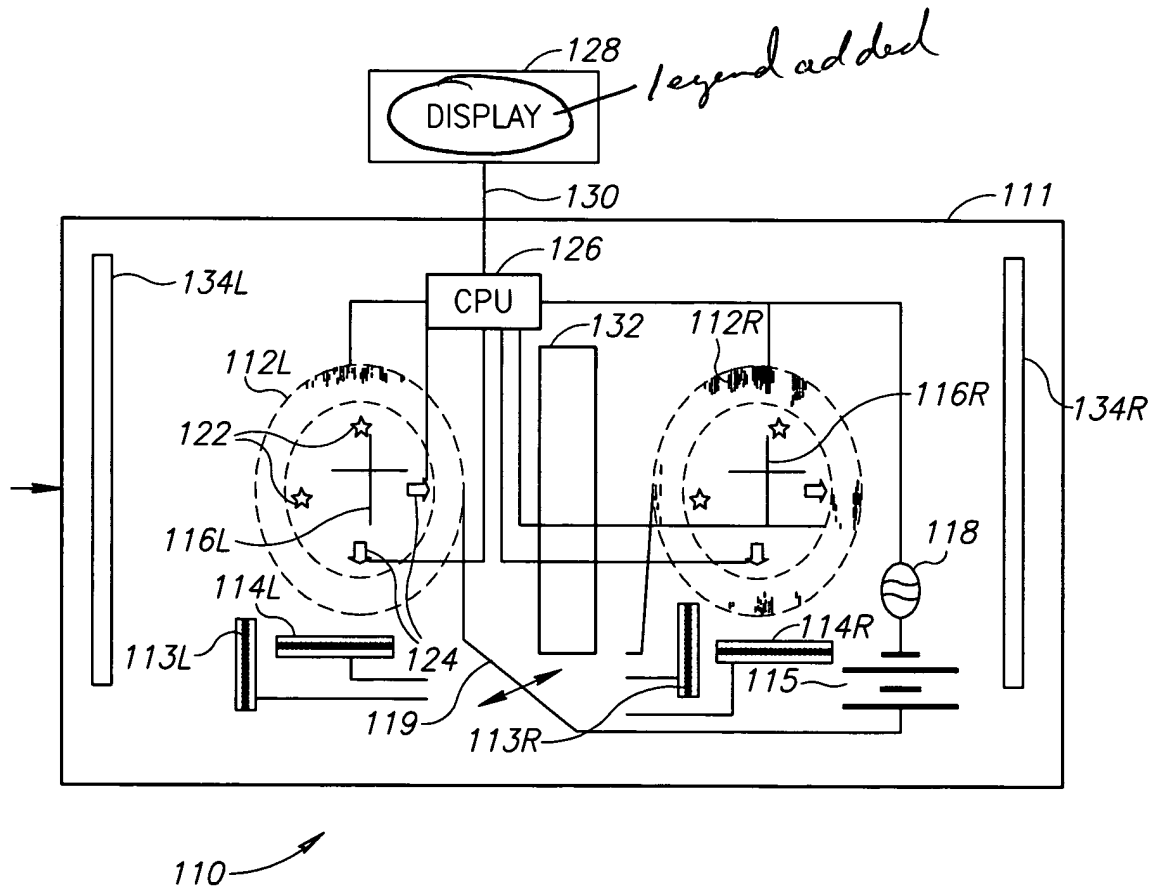


FIG.2